

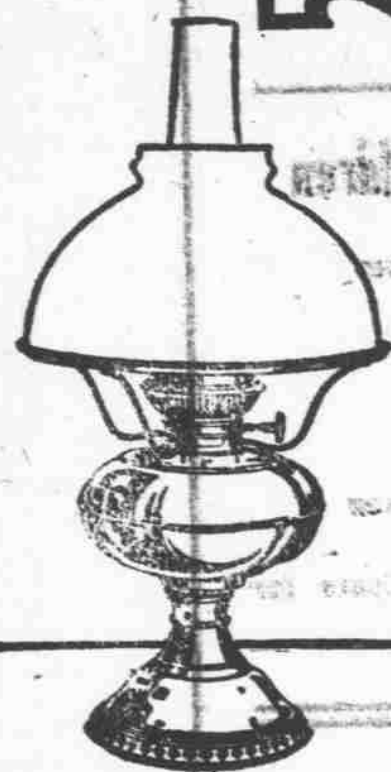
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Street Overseer Ernest Thompson has placed a force of men on Main street making repairs in the asphalt pavement. On account of having to grade the street several years ago before placing the pavement the foundation on one side has not stood the wear. Large holes have appeared and it is here that the city forces are busy repairing. The city's new paving machinery has been put to work. The street leading to the depot will be repaired just as soon as possible.

The Hendersonville Light and Power company has one of the most attractive show windows in the city. The window is made up of display lights and fixtures of the famous Mazda lamps. This window will be photographed and sent to headquarters to compete for a prize for the most attractive window display of this well known lamp.

D. E. Stepp, the well known butcher, has moved his market into his own building on Fifth avenue just off of Main street. Mr. Stepp runs a successful business and the increasing patronage has called him to buy a business home of his own. Modern fixtures and a thoroughly sanitary market has been installed in the new building.

H. M. King has received a solid car load of Maxwell's, both touring and roadster cars. Mr. King is the local agent for Henderson and Polk counties. He is displaying these cars at the Hendersonville Automobile company garage.

John L. Orr, it is understood, will move shortly with his family to Greenville where he is engaged in farming. Mr. Orr has rented a large farm owned by Captain M. C. and Charlie Toms.

A great many people are looking forward to the community Xmas tree. Mayor Brooks and his committee are planning to be Santa Claus to a number of needy families and individuals throughout the city. The Xmas Tree will be staged in the city opera house and a large crowd will gather to see the happy ones receive their gifts.

A large number of city booklets have been shipped to Dr. John E. Ennis, a Hendersonville resident and booster, who is spending the winter in St. Petersburg, Fla., and he will take pleasure in distributing the same and place them where they can be secured by tourists. Hendersonville receives hundreds of visitors from this popular Florida city.

Work has already begun compiling the new 1977 telephone directory. Those desiring new listing should communicate with Manager A. S. Truett at once.

The Woman's club will hereafter hold its regular meetings in the Community club building. This building is ideally arranged for such and will no doubt be a popular gathering place for members of this well known club.

THANKSGIVING THE NATIONAL HOLIDAY.

(An Essay by Garland Sherman, 9th Grade Hendersonville Graded School.) Thanksgiving had its origin among the Puritans, a religious sect, persecuted by the English. In sixteen hundred and twenty the Puritans landed at Plymouth Rock. The winter of that year was very cold and many of them died. The next year they harvested great quantities of corn and they determined to thank God for bringing them safely through the terrible winter and for giving them a good harvest. Accordingly they set a day, the last Thursday of November, for the celebration.

The purpose of Thanksgiving is to have a day on which every man can praise and thank the Lord according to the way that he thinks best, and to rejoice and have a good time.

Thanksgiving was celebrated by the Puritans with a large feast and by having services at a church.

It is still celebrated in that style now except some people have added some very irreligious revelry.

Thanksgiving Day is celebrated once a year and only in the United States of America.

COUNTY AGENT WORK.

Through the development of improved organization and the growth of a more definite project system the Office of Extension Work in the North and West carried its demonstration activities into closer relations to the practical needs of the farmers of the region during the past year, according to the annual report of the States Relations Service of the department. Local associations of farmers took a greater part in the work and more attention was devoted to studies of local economic facts upon which to develop demonstrations of permanent value. Extension work in the special interests of farm women was undertaken in the territory under the office and a number of women agents were placed in the field.

Among the specific results from the county agent work of the Office of Extension Work in the North and West during the year were:

Yields of corn in fields managed as demonstrations under supervision of the county agents increased on an average 12.8 bushels per acre over the yields for the region.

Yields of wheat in fields managed as demonstrations increased 8.4 bushels per acre.

Yields of oats in fields managed as demonstrations increased 11.7 bushels per acre.

Alfalfa was introduced on 11,311 farms.

Several score registered stallions and roams and several hundred registered bulls and boars were placed on farms.

Nearly a thousand fine bulls no longer useful in their communities because of danger of inbreeding were saved from the block and transferred to other communities.

One hundred and forty-three cow-testing associations, 90 live-stock breeding associations, and 142 hog-cholera control associations were organized.

More than 200,000 hogs were vaccinated against cholera.

Better farm management was promoted through assistance given to farmers in determining the factors that make the success or failure in determining the factors that make for success or failure in farm enterprises. Farmers' exchanges and co-operative marketing associations were organized and affected large savings to members.

Three hundred and twenty-one water-supply systems were introduced into farm homes.

Club work was carried on with more than 209,000 boys and girls. Over 24,000 of these engaged in profit-making projects, producing over \$509,000 worth of food products.

The club work was placed on a more permanent basis as an extension agency, and boys and girls are now enrolling to pursue the work for a series of years.

SHIPMAN ATTENDED WASHINGTON MEETING.

The Raleigh News and Observer says Commissioner of Labor and Printing M. L. Shipman has returned from Washington where he went to attend a conference on social insurance called by Royal Meeker, United States Commissioner of Labor at the request of the International Association of Industrial Accident Boards and Commissions. Among the problems discussed there were workmen's compensation, health benefits and insurance, pensions and retirement allowances, maternity benefits and mothers pensions.

While in Washington Mr. Shipman attended a conference of State commissioners in which various State conditions relative to boilers were compared and a movement launched to make uniform the laws of the State pertaining thereto, that life, property and general business may be better conserved.

LITTLE WONDER-WORKERS.

Without the aid of personal solicitation a little four-line want ad in the Hustler last Thursday evening sold a type-writer Friday. This little wonder-worker contained eighteen words and cost the advertiser eighteen cents. Could any better way of selling an article you don't need and somebody else does be found? If you have anything to sell or want to buy some article that you do not possess, try a Hustler want ad. One cent a word is all it costs. Three insertions for two cents a word.

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There are but two understandings that I have come to have with myself about fighting. They represent my only difference with fighters as I know them. First, I will not fight people. I will fight for people. I will fight the fever and lies in people. Second, I will not take sides. I will fight for all the people. I will fight all the lies in the people.

I present peace as a sublime, dignified, hazardous, beautiful glowing-up of every man's common-sense. I present peace as a radius for getting to ourselves and for others what we all really want. I present peace as the consummate self-assertion of all of us as every man's assertion of his larger self.—Gerald Stanley Lee in "Work"

The Presbyterian Church has purchased the bungalow in front of The Cedars, on Seventh avenue West, and it will be occupied by the pastor, T. Ellison Simson and family during the early part of the year.

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CONSTRUCTION OF THE TANNING PLANT BEGUN.

The actual work of building the big plant of the Transylvania Tanning company is well under way, and already much building material, to be used in the early stages of the construction, is on the ground. The twenty-four acres presented to the company by the business men of Brevard has been surveyed off, and the engineers have made maps locating each of the eight or ten buildings that will be erected.

The Southern Railway company's engineers have made surveys locating the many sidings that are to be built for the handling of the shipping end of the business, and will begin in a short while on the construction of them so that the heavy machinery that will be installed as the buildings are finished can be moved to just where it is wanted.

J. M. Kilpatrick, who had taken the contract for the construction of the plant, has had no trouble in finding plenty of laborers to carry on the work. Owing to the devastation wrought by the floods last summer there are many people in Transylvania who are willing to work on this plant, and who find the market for their labor very acceptable for the reason that all their farm produce was washed away. The building of this plant just at this time has proven a blessing to these, for it gives them a chance to make a living until they can put in another crop.

FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED AT MILLS RIVER.

Ex-Senator T. B. Allen Elected President, and Loans Aggregating \$200,000 Applied For.

A Farm Loan Association has been organized in Mills River Township with Ex-Senator T. B. Allen, a prosperous farmer of that section, as president. S. G. Rhodes, formerly assistant cashier of the First Bank and Trust Co., Hendersonville, was elected secretary and treasurer. These two officers with C. J. Jeffress constitute the board of land assessors, and the board of land assessors with Messrs. Bright, Leverett and Burgan, are the directors. Application for loans aggregating \$200,000 were made at the organization meeting and the association was organized without the aid of any outside men, the progressive farmers of the Mills River section having posted themselves thoroughly on the law regarding the organization. This is the first Farm Loan Association to be organized in this county. E. S. Millsaps of Statesville is expected in Hendersonville January 1, to look after organizing another association.

AFFIRMATIVE WINS IN HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE.

In a debate on the query: "Resolved, that Hendersonville should vote \$20,000 in bonds to erect a high school and double the present rate of taxation for school purposes," held at the graded school last Friday evening, the affirmative speakers, Zachariah Bacon and Pearson Greer, won the decision. The negative speakers were Otis Fuller and James Duff.

A New Business at Rutherfordton.

Mr. Thomas R. Flack of Gilkey, has rented the Harris building on Main street and will open up a five and ten cent store as soon as the room has been thoroughly overhauled and his stock, which is now on the road arrives. Mr. Flack is an experienced merchant, having been engaged in business at Gilkey for a number of years.—The Sun.

WRECK AT TUXEDO.

Several cars of a freight train were derailed near Tuxedo last Friday night. No one was hurt and passenger traffic was not tied up, as the wreck occurred after the Carolina Special had passed that point.



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